



KAMBARA et al.

Art Unit 1634

Examiner Fredman, J. N.

Attorney Docket No. ASAM.0055

**Honorable Assistant Commissioner
for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231**

COVER LETTER

Sir:

[x] The fee for submission of claims is calculated as shown below:

FOR	TOTAL WITH NEW CLAIMS ADDED	TOTAL CURRENTLY ON FILE	CLAIMS PAID	RATE	CALCULATION
Total Claims	27	26	6 (Over 20)	x \$18	18.00
Independent Claims	4	4	1 (Over 3)	x \$86	0
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S)				+ \$290	0
REDUCTION FOR FILING BY SMALL ENTITY (note 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9, 1.27, 1.28). IF APPLICABLE, VERIFIED STATEMENT MUST BE ATTACHED				x ½	
			TOTAL		18.00

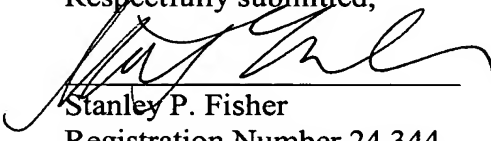
In addition, the below-identified communications are submitted in the above-captioned application or proceeding:

☒ Response to Office Action
with claim amendments
☐ Preliminary Amendment
☐ Substitute Specification
☒ Associate Power of Attorney

☒ Petition for Extension of Time (1 month)
☐ Terminal Disclaimer
☐ Letter to Draftsperson w/ pages of drawings
☐ Assignment
☐ Petition under _____

- [] Please charge my **Deposit Account Number** _____ in the amount of _____ to cover the fees for _____. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.
- [x] Checks in the amount of **\$110.00** to cover the one-month extension and **\$18.00** to cover the excess claim fee are enclosed.
- [x] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this communication, or credit any overpayment to **Deposit Account Number 08-1480**.

Respectfully submitted,


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